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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJ: REPLACEMENT PARTS FOR AMBASSADOR'S ARMORED VEHICLE

1. ON EVENING OF JUNE 29, 1974, AMBASSADOR'S ARMORED VEHICLE WAS INVOLVED IN ACCIDENT WITH ONE PRIVATE VEHICLE DRIVEN BY LEBANESE NATIONAL. NO INJURIES SUSTAINED BY PARTIES IN EITHER VEHICLE. AMBASSADOR IMMEDIATELY DEPARTED SCENE OF ACCIDENT IN FOLLOW CAR. LOCAL PRESS ERRONEOUSLY REPORTED AMBASSADOR'S "BUTTLEPROFF" VEHICLE OVERTURNED AND FIFTEEN EMBASSY SECURITY OFFICERS REPORTED TO SCENE OF ACCIDENT. NO FURTHER PRESS COVERAGE ON INCIDENT TO DATE.

2. DAMAGE OT AMBASSADOR'S VEHICLE INCLUDED RIGHT AND LEFT FRONT ROCKER PANELS, RIGHT REAR ROCKER PANEL, RIGHT FRONT TIRE AND RIGHT FRONT SPRING. BODY DAMAGE BEING REPAIRED TO MAKE VEHICLE SERICEABLE. HOWEVER, RIGHT FRON TIRE AND LEFT AND RIGHT FRONT ROCKER PANELS DAMAGED BEYOND COMPLETE REPAIR AND WILL NEED TO BE REPLACED. RIGHT FRONT TIRE BEING REPLACED ON VEHICLE WITH ONLY AVAILABLE SPARE. TENSION IN RIGHT FRONT SPRING VERY POOR AND REPAIRS BEING MADE TO MAKE IT TEMPRARILY SERICEABLE.

3. REQUEST REPLACEMENT RIGHT AND LEFT FRONT ROCKER PANELS, SPARE TIRE AND RIGHT FRONT SPRING BE PROCURED AND SHIPPED ASAP. VEHICLE DATA: 1971 CHEVROLET IMPALA, SERIAL NO. 164691C183049, INVENTORY NO. 1592008.

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